



2013 Conference Schedule
 (Subject to change without notice)
 5.1.13

All Activities Begin or Take Place at the Granlibakken Conference Center

Tuesday, May 7	Activity	Location
3:00 - 6:00 PM	Registration Desk Open	Pavilion
Wednesday, May 8		
7:00 - 10:30 AM	Registration Desk Open	Pavilion
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Creating a Regional Trail (bus tour) <i>Sponsored by Callander & Associates and U.S. Forest Service</i>	Check-in at Reg Desk
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Water Trail Planning (Lake Tahoe by Kayak) <i>Sponsored by AECOM and Stonehenge Designs</i>	Check-in at Reg Desk
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Skills for Getting Along <i>Sponsored by Ascent Environmental, California State Horsemen's Association, the International Mountain Bicycling Association</i>	Check-in at Reg Desk
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Universal Trail Assessment Process & High Efficiency Trail Assessment Process Coordination <i>Sponsored by Alta Planning + Design and Sutter Equipment Company</i>	Check-in at Reg Desk
12:00 - 4:00 PM	Exhibit Hall Set-up	Pavilion
3:00 - 6:30 PM	Registration Open	
4:00 - 6:30 PM	Exhibit Hall Open	Pavilion
4:30 - 5:30 PM	California Trails & Greenways Foundation meeting	Cedar Room
5:30 - 6:30 PM	Welcome Reception (No host bar) <i>Sponsored by the California Trails & Greenways Foundation</i>	Pavilion
6:30 PM	Raffle & Silent Auction Open	Ballroom
6:30 - 9:00 PM	Welcome Dinner & Keynote <i>Sponsored by ClifBar</i>	Ballroom
9:00 - 11:00 PM	Hospitality Suite	To be announced
Thursday, May 9		
6:30 - 7:30 AM	Morning Walk	Meet in hotel lobby
6:30 - 7:30 AM	Morning Bike Ride	Meet outside hotel lobby
7:00 AM - 7:00 PM	Registration Open	Pavilion
8:00 AM - 7:00 PM	Exhibits Open	Pavilion
7:00-8:30 AM	Breakfast	Ballroom
8:30 - 9:30 AM	Lessons Learned in Fire Recovery & Restoration	Cedar House
	LiDAR Data for Trail Planning & Layout	Mountain
	Revitalizing Urban Watersheds	Lake
	Conducting Successful Community Outreach	Bay

9:30 - 9:45 AM	Break	Conference Lobby
9:45 - 10:45 AM	Creating & Managing a Volunteer Trail Patrol	Cedar House
	Zen & the Art of the Visitor Census	Mountain
	Designing Trails Along Waterways	Lake
	Showcasing Trails Through Photography	Bay
10:45 - 11:00 AM	Break	Conference Lobby
11:00 - 12:00 PM	Sustainable Lands & Trails in a Changing Climate	Cedar House
	Tools & Technology for Evaluating ADA Trail Compliance	Mountain
	Design & Management Strategies for Multi-Use Trails	Lake
	A Trail Community for All	Bay
12:00 - 12:30 PM	Lunch <i>Sponsored by East Bay Regional Park District and Green Trails Maps</i>	Ballroom
12:30 - 1:45 PM	Plenary: Protecting Trails' Habitats <i>Sponsored by Sierra Nevada Conservancy and the California State Parks Foundation</i>	Ballroom
1:45 - 2:00 PM	Break	Conference Lobby
2:00 - 3:15 PM	California's New Trail Funding Landscape	Cedar House
	Communicating Trails Digitally -- The Devil's in the Details	Mountain
	Creating Sustainable Futures -- The Trail Plan	Lake
	Trails in Motion -- Sustainable designs & Construction Techniques	Bay
3:15 - 3:30 PM	Break	Conference Lobby
3:30 - 4:45 PM	Water Trail Benefits & Challenges	Cedar House
	Perspectives on GeoTourism -- Insights from Tomorrow's Travelers Today	Mountain
	Trail Design Basics	Lake
	Regional/Multi-jurisdictional Trail Planning, Partnerships & Implementation	Bay
4:45 - 5:45 PM	Health & Fitness Through Hiking (Interpretive Activity)	Meet in hotel lobby
4:45 - 6:00 PM	Break	Conference Lobby
6:00 - 7:00 PM	Awards & Remembrance Reception (no host bar)	Pavilion
7:00 PM	RAFFLE & SILENT AUCTION CLOSE	
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Awards & Remembrance Dinner & Presentations <i>Sponsored by the State Coastal Conservancy and Coastwalk California</i>	Ballroom
9:00 - 11:00 PM	Hospitality	To be announced
Friday, May 10		
6:30 - 7:30 AM	Morning Walk	Meet in hotel lobby
6:30 - 7:30 AM	Morning Bike Ride	Meet outside hotel lobby
7:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Registration Open	Pavilion
8:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Exhibits Open	Pavilion
7:00 – 9:00 AM	Breakfast with Table Topics	Ballroom
9:00 - 10:00 AM	Enhancing Trail's Compatibility with Nature	Cedar House
	Practical CEQA	Mountain
	Reducing Impacts on Wetlands Through Trail (Re-) Design	Lake
	Linking Urban Communities to the Mountains	Bay
10:00 - 10:15 AM	Break	Conference Lobby
10:15 -11:15 AM	Exploring the Use of "Big Data" for Trails	Cedar House
	Designing for Sustainable Wildlife Viewing	Mountain
	Promoting Biking, Walking & Mountain Biking	Lake

	Developing a Sustainable Road & Trail Plan in Sensitive Habitats	Bay
11:15 - 11:30 AM	Break	Conference Lobby
11:30 - 1:00 PM	Closing Plenary: Building Broad-based Constituencies <i>Sponsored by Bureau of Land Management and Delta Protection Commission</i>	Ballroom
1:00 - 1:15 PM	Closing Remarks	Ballroom
1:45 PM	4th Annual Hike, Bike, Ride Event (Advance sign-up at Registration Desk appreciated)	Conference Grounds